

STATE OF MAINE
PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION

Docket No. 2001-258

May 8, 2001

VITTS NETWORK, INC.
Request to Abandon Service

ORDER GRANTING
REQUEST TO ABANDON
SERVICE

WELCH, Chairman; NUGENT and DIAMOND, Commissioners

On April 9, 2001 Vits Network, Inc. filed a notice with the Commission that, pursuant to order of the United States Bankruptcy Court, it was terminating all service on May 9, 2001. We consider its notice as a request to abandon service pursuant to 35-A M.R.S.A. § 1104(1).

The Commission granted Vits authority to provide local exchange and interexchange service in Docket No. 99-266.

On the same date as the notice to the Commission, Vits provided written notice to its customers that it would be terminating service. The notice referred customers to its website for information concerning alternative service suppliers.

There are other competitive telephone utilities in Maine that provide services similar to those offered by Vits, and we grant its request to abandon service.

Dated at Augusta, Maine this 8th day of May, 2001.

BY ORDER OF THE COMMISSION

Dennis L. Keschl
Administrative Director

COMMISSIONERS VOTING FOR: Welch
 Nugent
 Diamond